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In re Application of: Amelia Luna and Jason Naxin Wang

Application No.: 09/707,521

Examiner: Rekstad, E.

Filed: 11/06/00

Art Unit: 2613

Confirmation No.: 9729

For: IMPLEMENTATION OF A DV VIDEO DECODER WITH A VLIW PROCESSOR AND A VARIABLE LENGTH DECODING UNIT

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application

☒ Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action for the above identified patent application.  
( 26 sheets)  
Transmitted herewith are sheets of substitute formal drawings.  
Other:

2. Applicant is other than a small entity

**Extension of Term**

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(a) ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
(fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

| <u>Extension</u>                              | <u>Fee</u> |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month | \$120.00   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> two months           | \$450.00   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months         | \$1,020.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months          | \$1,590.00 |

Fee \$ 120.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(b) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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**Fee Calculation**

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

| <b>(for other than a small entity)</b>                                    |  |   |                         |           |               |
|---|--|---|-------------------------|-----------|---------------|
| Fee Items   | Claims<br>Remaining After<br>Amendment | Highest Number<br>of Claims<br>Previously Paid<br>For | Present<br>Extra Claims | Fee Rate  | Total         |
| Total Claims  | 37                                     | - 37 =  | 0                       | x \$18.00 | \$0.00        |
| Independent Claims  | 4                                      | - 4 =   | 0                       | x \$86.00 | \$0.00        |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Fee (one or more, first added by this amendment) |  |   |                         | \$290.00  | \$0.00        |
| <b>Total Fees</b>   |  |   |                         |           | <b>\$0.00</b> |

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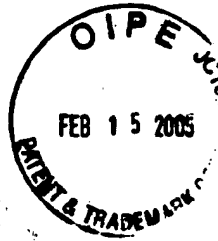
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed 11/02/2004, please enter and consider the following remarks and arguments for the above captioned patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.